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Ten Cents a Week

POSITIVE SUCCESSES GAINED BY ALLIES IN HARD BATTLING

INDICATIONS ARE THAT THE GERMAN DRIVE IN ARMENTIERES REGION IS LOSING SOME OF ITS FORCE. IN FLANDERS HUNS ARE MAKING STRONGEST EFFORT TO CUT RAILROAD TO MESSINES RIDGE.

AMERICAN FORCES ARE COUNTING STRONGLY IN HOLDING LONG FRANCO-BELGIAN FRONT AND OTHER POINTS IN REGION OF ST. MIHIEL

GERMANS LAST NIGHT RETURNED TO ATTACK ON FRENCH POSITIONS IN BRULE WOOD BUT WERE THROWN BACK BY VIGOROUS RESISTANCE OF AMERICANS AND FRENCH.

(By Associated Press Dispatch)

Indications are that the German drive in the Armentieres region is losing some of its force as contained in today's news from the front. Simultaneously comes news that American help is counting strongly in the holding of the long Franco-Belgian front at other points in the region east of St. Mihiel.

The Germans last night returned to the attack on the French positions on Brule wood in the Apremont region where French and American troops yesterday repulsed a German thrust. The Americans once more displayed a vigorous resistance and in conjunction with the French beat off the Germans, throwing them out by a counter attack from the one point where an enemy footing was obtained.

In the Flanders fighting the Germans are making their strongest drive for Bailleul, the important railway point northwest of Armentieres, feeding the Messines Ridge.

Elsewhere the British successes were of a positive nature. Allied successes were also scored on the Somme front, the French and British in a united attack near the river Luce southeast of Amiens where their lines join, drove the Germans completely out of the village of Hangard.

AMERICANS BEST GERMAN DECISIVELY

Paris, April 13.—(Associated Press Cable)—The Germans last night renewed their attacks upon the French positions in the Brule wood in the forest of Apremont.

American troops in this sector, in conjunction with the French, says today's statement, have combatted with vigor and broken the majority of the enemy attacks. At one point where the Germans obtained a footing they were thrown out by a counter attack.

GERMANS DRIVEN OUT OF HANGARD

On the Somme battle front the entire village of Hangard and cemetery has been regained from the Germans.

GERMAN ATTACK REPULSED

London, April 13.—(Associated Press Cable)—The Germans made an attack last night west of Merville on the northern battle front and were repulsed, the war office announces. The British advanced their lines slightly near Festubert and took a few prisoners.

There was heavy fighting last evening near Neuve Eglise and Wulverghem and the battle here was still in progress at a late hour last night.

Strong enemy forces launched an attack early last night east of Locon and succeeded in entering the British lines at certain points, but was ejected by a counter attack. A second attack attempted later in the night at the same place was beaten off.

In the sector south of the Somme the British and French troops, by counter attacks, drove out the Germans from Hangard, which they penetrated yesterday.

AIR RAID FATALITIES

TWENTY-FOUR KILLED.

(By Associated Press Cable)

Paris, April 13.—Twenty-four persons were killed and 62 others injured as result of the German air raid last night on Paris, it was announced today.

AIR RAID FAILS

London, April 13.—(Associated Press Cable)—In last night's air raid on England one German airship reached the midlands and another penetrated almost to the northwest coast, it was announced today.

ENJOYING A FRIENDLY BOUT IN FRANCE



FRIENDLY BOUT.

Boys of an American ambulance company in France having a little recreation in front of their billet.

BRITISH HOLD THE FOREST OF NIEPPE

Latest Phase of Battle of Armentieres is Determined. Hun Attack.

British Retire Further West of Merville.

(Associated Press Cable)

With the British Army in France, April 13.—The latest phase of the battle of Armentieres is a determined German attack in the direction of Bailleul from the south. Yesterday's all-day fighting resulted in the retirement of the British forces further west of Merville.

The enemy made a fresh assault early last night with the intention of occupying the great forest of Nieppe, but he gained only a few hundred yards at the expense of heavy casualties and the British front this morning lies in front of the forest.

Further attacks on the British right wing between Givency and Robecq on the LaBasse canal yesterday wholly failed. Two attempts made late in the afternoon to capture Locon were repulsed. The British also counter attacked around Givency and took an important German post.

SWEDEN CHANGES HER ATTITUDE

(Associated Press Cable)

Paris, April 13.—Most of the bombs dropped during last night's air raid fell in one spot, striking a house. It was evident the raiders found their work so much more difficult under the new aerial protection. It was a still, dark night of the most favorable for an aerial attack and a raid was generally expected.

WEATHER

Washington, April 13.—Associated Press Dispatch.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday issued by the Weather Bureau are:
Ohio Valley—Fair first of the week except showers in east portion Monday. Temperature above normal middle of week. Fair and warm end of week.

RETIREMENT OF CROZIER IS RUMORED

Washington, April 13.—At their weekly conference with War Department officials today, Senate military committee members said they were advised that further important reorganization was planned and Brigadier General Williams would be appointed Chief of Ordnance probably through retirement of Major General Crozier, now serving on the super war council.

MOST BOMBS DROPPED IN SAME SPOT

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POSTMASTER EXPLAINS HIS ATTITUDE

Says He Wouldn't be "Bulldozed" Into Buying Bonds.

Had Already Made Liberal Purchases.

(By Associated Press Dispatch)

Toledo, O., April 13.—Postmaster G. F. Parrish, yellow-carded yesterday by a local liberty loan committee for an alleged refusal to purchase bonds in the third liberty loan, in a statement today denied that he had refused. He stated that A. E. Avery, a bond salesman, had called on him and he had told Mr. Avery that he intended to buy bonds a little later, but felt that he could not afford to purchase for several weeks.

Mr. Parrish was later called by phone and notified that unless he purchased immediately his name would be yellow-carded and the story given to the press, according to the statement. Mr. Parrish said he refused to be "bulldozed" and that he knew his duty and would perform it.

Parrish showed \$2,000 worth of Liberty Bonds of previous issues and several hundred dollars' worth of thrift stamps.

LOAN TOTALS MOUNT HIGH

(By Associated Press Dispatch)

Washington, April 13.—Subscriptions to the third liberty loan reported to federal reserve banks today as the first quota of the drive was past, totaled \$539,426,000, or more than 1-6 of the minimum amount sought by Secretary McAdoo.

RHEIMS NOW IN FLAMES

Paris, April 13.—(Associated Press Cable)—The city of Rheims is in flames. The French are attempting to limit the burning area, working under a heavy bombardment.

BEAUTIFUL RHEIMS IS IN RUINS

Huns Make Special Effort to Lay City In Waste.

Paris, April 13.—Rheims, city of the famous cathedral, which since early in the war has been the frequent target of German guns, and is a ruins, has been the special objective of the German artillery fire at frequent intervals for several weeks past.

It had more than 100,000 inhabitants before the war, but has been very largely depopulated by reason of its close proximity to the battle line.

BRONZE STATUE OF FREDERICK IS TAKEN AWAY

Washington, April 13.—The bronze statue of Frederick the Great which has ornamented the western facade of the war college building here was removed in sections today and packed away for safe keeping.

SENATOR STONE'S CONDITION SERIOUS

Washington, April 13.—Senator Stone of Mississippi, who suffered a stroke of paralysis last Wednesday, became worse today, after spending a restless night, and is in a serious condition.

SABOTAGE BILL CHANGED SOME

Washington, April 13.—Provisions in the Sabotage bill penalizing acts in obstructing production of war materials were eliminated from the measure today by the Senate and House conferees.

The conferees also struck out the clause permitting labor to strike for higher wages which the Senate had rejected.

NEW MANAGER.

Sandusky, O., April 13.—George M. Zimmerman has succeeded George T. Lehrer as city manager. Leroy Herbert succeeded Mr. Zimmerman as city treasurer.

LYNCHED BY MOB IN COLLINSVILLE, ILL.



ROBERT P. PRAGER

Robert P. Prager, German born Socialist, who was dragged from the basement of the Collinsville, Ill., city hall and lynched. He was accused of having made disloyal remarks to miners of Maryville, Ill.

MANY BOYS ARE BURNED IN HOSPITAL

Norman, Okla., April 13.—Between 30 and 37 boys aged 10 to 15 years, all patients at the state hospital, were burned in a fire of unknown origin that completely destroyed three wards and the dining room of the institution. The blaze started at three o'clock this morning.

DRAFT QUOTA ON CLASS ONE

Washington, April 13.—The Senate resolution embodying the War Department plan to put the draft quota basis on the number of men in Class One instead of state population was adopted by the House today by a vote of 325 to 2.

TAFT CHEERFUL

Geneva, N. Y., April 13.—"I am not pessimistic, but the situation in Europe is serious," declared Wm. Howard Taft this morning. Mr. Taft stopped off in Geneva for breakfast enroute to Ithaca where he spoke at noon.

IS YOUR BATTERY READY

To have it looked over now may save a heavy repair bill, or the cost of a new battery. When the car is driven but little during the winter the battery is almost certain to need attention. Our battery department has a complete up-to-the-minute equipment and the advice of our experts and inspection is free. New batteries for any car in stock. Capacity for re-charging 24 batteries at one time. No "waiting your turn."

The Ortman Motor Company

Trucks

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We Wash Your Auto While You Sleep

ONE MEMBER OF M COMPANY IS WOUNDED

Fayette County Men Left the Trenches March 13, After Some Three Weeks, With Only One Casualty Reported—All Men Well, Writes Soldier.

In a letter received by his mother from a member of Company M, 166th Infantry, now on the fighting front in France, announcement is made that the company left the trenches, presumably in the Luneville sector, about March 13th, presumably after some three weeks in the various systems of trenches.

During the time the men were in the front line trenches only one man in the company was injured, and that man suffered a wound in one hand. All of the other troops are well and doing splendidly according to the letter.

A letter written by the same member of the company, and dated March 2nd, stated that he was wearing rubber boots and had other equipment which clearly indicated that he was in the trenches.

It was about March fourth or fifth that the Fourth Regiment bore the brunt of a German attack, and lost a few men in casualties, but repulsed the Germans in such a thorough manner that they were not anxious to try another attack on the brave boys from the Rainbow Division.

It is believed that while M Company took a hand in the work of repulsing the Germans, that the Fayette county body were not at the point where the enemy attack was strongest.

The name of the man wounded in the hand was not given by the member who wrote to his mother, and the letter indicated that the wound was not severe.

Continuing the soldier declares that the place where they were located when he wrote was as level as Fayette county and the weather was like a May day in Ohio.

Harold McLean, Supply Sergeant, writing to his brother Robert in this city, states that he has received packages from the Dutch Treat Club.

In a note inclosed by Captain Hardway, acknowledgement of the receipt of certain packages is made.

Sergeant McLean declares that the entire Company has a high regard for Captain Peck, who succeeded Captain Hardway, after Captain Hardway had been given charge of another company that was needing a little more attention than the splendid old Company M.

One of the letters, mailed March 19, declared all were well and that some of the troops were still gaining in weight.

HARVESTING BIG TEXAS ONION CROP

Judge Joseph Hidy is in Texas at the present time, and will remain there for the next few weeks while he superintends the harvesting of 25,000 bushels of onion on his estate in the Lone Star state.

The crop this year is said to be a good one, and the onions of exceptional quality.

Judge Hidy will probably return about the middle of May.

"SELL IT AGAIN."

The Angora Cat purchased at the Red Cross Sale at the K. of P. Hall last night will be "sold again" and all the proceeds donated. See H. R. Rodecker at once for private sale.

MR. FARMER!

Without doubt it has not occurred to you that for every bushel of wheat you fail to market, you cut off the bread supply of one of our boys "over there," for just about three months time.

Thousands of bushels of wheat are stored on the farms of Old Fayette, some of it for higher prices which will positively not be secured, and some of it is there, simply because the owners have not given this very important matter enough consideration.

May first is the limit of time set by our Government to have all large stocks of wheat marketed.

Don't give the Federal authorities a chance to use their power of requisitioning. In a single instance, keep Fayette clean, market your wheat this month.

If the money derived therefrom be buried, your act could be construed as more patriotic than to hold this wheat from the needs of the allied world.

The Government wants your money, but if you must hoard, bury the money and not the wheat.

Think it over, and then let's pull together.

—The Fayette County Food Administration Committee.

C. N. BAER, Sec'y.

ONLY WHITE MEN TO BE SENT NEXT TIME

The Local Board has received news relative to the men to be sent to camp from Fayette during the last week in this month, and as a result no negro soldiers will be sent in the next contingent, but will be sent in a separate contingent a little later on.

As a result of the change in orders, the list of men who will be sent will not be announced before some time the coming week.

BEST GERMINATION TEST NOW ON DISPLAY

What is pronounced by many to be the best germination test shown by any seed corn tested in Fayette county this season is now on display at the Fayette County Bank, and the test shows that more than 99 percent of some 1,000 grains of corn germinated.

The corn is Rotten Clange, sold by Robert Howat to Chas. Himmler, and is of the 1916 crop.

The display is attracting a great deal of interest, as the germination is much higher than in some corn which has been purchased from outside of the county at \$10 to \$15 per bushel.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank our kind neighbors and friends for sympathy and kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father, Marion Benjamin, also wish to thank the Reverend Leeth for his kind service, and the undertaker, Elmer Kiever, and also for the beautiful floral offerings which we received from friends and neighbors.

THE WIFE AND CHILDREN.

CARD OF THANKS

We extend our heartfelt thanks to all kind friends and neighbors who aided us in any way during the sickness and burial of our dear husband and son. Also the undertaker for his kind attention, Rev. J. G. Laughlin for his consoling words and comfort, for the many beautiful floral tributes, and all kindly ministrations.

MRS. GRACE CROOKS

WILLIAM CROOKS AND FAMILY

SERVICE FLAG SEALS

for stationery have just been received at

RODECKER'S NEWS STAND

They come in one, two and three star seals, and should be used by all who are entitled to use them. Price 10 cents per 100.

ARBOR DAY IN SCHOOLS

Arbor Day was observed by the several schools of the city Friday with appropriate ceremonies.

In the High School chapel services were held at 2:30 instead of one o'clock and the time from then until 3:40 was devoted to an impromptu program.

Dwight Ireland, Misses Wanda Mae Norris, Dora May Stewart and Virginia Sites gave readings on the laws pertaining to Arbor Day and the importance of bird and tree protection. Miss Jessie Sunkel rendered a song in Spanish, "Bolero," that delighted the audience.

Sunny Side School

The Sunny Side Schools put on entertaining and appropriate Arbor Day exercises, which were greatly enjoyed by a number of guests.

Miss Kerrigan's primary department staged a unique entertainment in the interest of the Red Cross, Food Conservation and Thrift Stamps that was exceedingly attractive as well as stimulating in these activities.

The little beginners invited to their room the first grade under Miss Prue Taylor, the second under Miss Maude Bush and the fifth under Mrs. Ethel McElwain.

The program opened with a very pretty grand march, led by little Marjorie Stont and Paul McCray, cunningly costumed as Goddess of Liberty and Uncle Sam. The little girls were all costumed as Red Cross Nurses and the boys as soldiers in Colonial hats. They carried flags as they marched singing the Battle Hymn of the Republic, the four rooms joining in the chorus.

A cunning and appropos little play, "The Children's Bit" was well presented by all the primary tots. The characters were Red Cross Nurses; jolly Thrifts Stamps, Hoover's Hobbies, Uncle Sam's Heralds.

A specially entertaining part of the program was the bringing forward by the Herald's of large posters bearing such mottoes as "Lick the stamps if tyoo will lick the Kaiser," "Kill the Kaiser in the Kitchen," "Buy Bonds and Build Battle Ships," "Uncle Sam needs that extra shovel full."

The pupils of Miss Bush and Miss Taylor presented a charming Arbor Day program of recitations, songs and choruses. The music was well given under Miss Taylor's direction.

The quintet of boys from Miss Bush's room had unusually good voices. The four grades sang patriotic songs with Miss Mary Edge at the organ.

Mrs. W. R. Ellison and Mrs. Blanche Arthur Creamer, of the Sunny Side Red Cross Unit, assisted in the afternoon's arrangements.

East Side Program

At East Side the six grades under the direction of Misses Gertrude Channel, Phyllis Davis, Blanche Tullis, Faye Jobe, Susan Putnam and Naomi Rowan, presented a very enjoyable joint program yesterday in the auditorium. Each of the grades gave a pleasing fifteen minute program.

Cherry Hill

Arbor Day was emphasized in each room at Cherry Hill, Friday in very entertaining programs of songs and recitations.

Central

In the four primary grades at Central a novel rotary program was carried out and under the direction of the teachers Misses Anna Bell, Lillian Davis, Emily Palmer and Lillian Taylor.

As a delightful surprise to the children, at the close of the exercises there was a birthday party. One hundred of the children, who had birthdays from January to September were honor guests.

Always before at these parties the mothers had kindly donated the refreshments, but this time the teach-

ers felt that the mothers had been called on so often that this time they assumed the right to entertain the little folk.

The fifth grades of Miss Prudence Culhan and Miss Louise Weaver presented to interested guests an attractive program appropriate to the day. Miss Edythe Blackman's fourth grade gave an exceptionally pleasing program of dialogues piano solos and duets essays on the "Eagle" and "Blue Jay" and vocal solos.

Two special numbers were the vocal solos, "Daisies" and "Dear One," which were sung with must sweetness by Judith Anne Mitchner and Lillian Teeters.

Although only a very brief program was presented, in Mrs. Bertha Crooks' room, the boys and girls were very much alive to the spirit of Arbor Day.

In keeping with the day, the sixth seventh and eighth grades at Central, presented Arbor Day programs of usual merit.

BRING GARMENTS TO RED CROSS SHOP

All persons having garments, included in the Infant Layettes for Belgian babies, please send them finished to the Red Cross work shop Monday.

\$7 12

NOTICE

Rev. D. B. Willhite will preach at the Bible School Room on Oakland Avenue, Sunday 3 p. m. subject "Where Are You Leading Jesus?" A welcome to all.

If your hens fail to hatch all the chickens they can take care of send Brownell \$1.50 per dozen and your mail man will deliver what baby chickens you want at your door. \$5 t26

RED CROSS ACTIVITIES

Women of Washington, your help is needed at Red Cross headquarters! Every Washington woman and as many from the county outside as possible should be actively engaged in Red Cross relief work.

It is both your duty and your privilege to join the present loyal workers.

Women, do you realize what the fierce fighting in Picardy, the heavy attacks on the Meuse Ridge mean to the American Red Cross? Have you any idea of the additional amount of surgical dressings, of hospital garments and supplies which will be needed by the thousands upon thousands of men wounded in the raging battles of the past three weeks? Do you realize that there will be many Americans among them and that it is only your incessant efforts and that of the unselfish workers in other Red Cross workshops which will provide in sufficient quantities for dressing these wounds?

In the great fight at Verdun hospital dressings and supplies ran out and wounds had to be dressed with sawdust. Think what it may mean if there are not enough American women willing to give time and energy to this work to prevent a repetition of the distressed conditions and scarcity of supplies which followed Verdun.

Yarn for Sox.

There is plenty of sox yarn now at the Red Cross workshop, and urgent call for the sox. Women can call for

the yarn on any of the work days.

R. C. Medical Research Work.

Harry D. Gibson, general manager of the Red Cross, gives out a statement in regard to an appropriation by the Red Cross for medical research work in France, concerning this there has been public and private criticism because partly involved in this work is experimentation upon living animals for the purpose of finding methods of prevention and remedies for new and strange soldiers' diseases. Manager Gibson says in part:

From a Red Cross point of view it would be difficult to imagine any more imperative duty upon the Red Cross than to seek for every means of prevention and remedy for the sickness of soldiers.

The Red Cross did not, as has been stated, appropriate this money for abstract medical research and experimentation. It was to be used for the direct and immediate purpose of finding ways to prevent or cure wounds for sickness of American soldiers and was strictly a war measure.

It has developed, however, that there are a large number of earnest Red Cross members who have sincere convictions against the use of animals for the discovery of remedies for sickness. We recognize that it should be an obligation of Red Cross management to show deference to such earnest convictions.

The criticism seems to be largely confined to the fact that funds of the Red Cross should not be used for this work when any considerable number of its members have such convictions against the work.

"Realizing the situation, an individual has come forward and has offered to supply the money necessary for this work so that none shall be taken from the general funds of the Red Cross.

"This fund provided will also be

used to reimburse the Red Cross General fund for any expenditures in connection therewith in the past. The Red Cross War Council has decided to accept this offer without in any way taking a position either for or against the question in controversy but because they do not wish their acts to be considered in conflict with the sincere convictions of Red Cross members."

BUSY MILLEDGEVILLE UNIT

One of the busiest Red Cross Units in the county is that at Milledgeville. In the short time since the first meeting day on the 11th of February, with an average attendance of 16, the reports shows made and turned in: 6 kerchiefs, 10 sweaters, 44 property bags, 6 pair sox, 5 ambulance pillows, 162 bed shirts.

MAKING HUN HELP

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, Ohio, April 12—It is one of the odd turns of fate that a German-made calculating machine is being used to figure the number of men each Ohio community shall send in the draft. The calculator adds, subtracts, divides and multiplies, and has been found a great time saver at state draft headquarters.

Brownell incubates eggs, three cents each. \$5 t26

MORE SEED CORN FOR FAYETTE FARMERS

Samples of seed corn which several local dealers believe will do well in this locality have been left with Superintendent O. S. Nelson for a test by a representative of The Horn Bros. Company of Monroeville, Ohio.

The test will be concluded on next Saturday and ready for public inspection. \$4 t6



For Their Sake

The most precious thing that a man possesses in this world is his family.

When an American soldier leaves this country and leaves behind his wife and child or his mother or any member of his family he KNOWS that his government will not let them suffer.

He is offering his life to protect his country and he KNOWS that his country will protect those that are dear to him.

For the sake of the American soldier, for the sake of his family, YOU are asked to buy LIBERTY BONDS, to lend your money to the United States Government

so that there shall never be lacking the necessary funds to protect the soldier at the Front and to protect his family at home.

Surely you will not fail to do your share for the sake of those who are offering their lives to protect you and yours.

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No Need to be Discouraged

The allied armies have not made those advances or scored those initial successes in the great battle, now raging in France, which give positive proof to the anxious folks at home that all is well yet, withal, there is that grim determination of the British, that brilliant bravery of the French, that enthusiastic heroism of the Americans, that calm patience of the Italians, waiting in the snow-filled passes of the Alps and about all that confidence, which makes our faith and our hopes, in a great measure, satisfying.

If we must have reports of brilliant victories achieved, vast sections of territory taken, large numbers of prisoners and guns captured, we look in vain at the results of the awful fighting which has continued now for nearly three weeks without cessation.

If we become disheartened because our lines have been beaten back a few miles then there is enough to find in the reports of the battle thus far to create that feeling.

If we consider the tremendous power of the attacking force, the barren results thus far attained, the frightful price paid, the fact that our lines are yet intact, that the great body of our reserves is yet unused and that the enemy has called into battle and slaughtered, ruthlessly, the larger part of his reserves, if we can realize the hope and confident expectation of the enemy at the time the present offensive was launched, then we can be encouraged by the news from the front.

We have never lost confidence that all is working out right in the battle "over there" on the blood-soaked fields of France. Just when the turn will come in the tide of war no man can tell.

We must be content with little detail information as to the inner facts. We must have faith and do more and keep on doing more. If the hours seem dark we must struggle harder toward the light—toward the sunshine which is shining back of the clouds—we can't stop by the wayside.

With the faith that knows no faltering to sustain us we must not be discouraged. There is no need to be discouraged. The world has sent its sons to stop the Huns and they have, thus far, succeeded.

Holland's Wheat Cargoes

Owing to Holland's true need of food the War Trade Board has released for immediate shipment two shiploads of wheat. The shipment is to be made in vessels recently commandeered by the United States from Holland. The shipment is in part payment for the commandeered vessels. Germany has magnanimously consented not to sink the ships.

For a time, it will be remembered, the Huns threatened reprisals against Dutch shipping because the United States had seized vessels of Queen Wilhelmina's subjects in our harbors. All of which was typical Teutonic logic.

Now there seems to have been a new light break on the German war lords and they agree that the wheat cargoes will be given safe passage.

Skeptical Americans are wondering whether the Teutons have actually changed their minds and really desire to assist in relieving the distress of Hollanders, caused primarily by the U-boat campaign, or whether they expect all or a part of the wheat.

In view of what has gone before it's hard to believe the Teutons want to right a wrong even partially and more difficult still to believe that they have changed their minds.

Ireland's Part

The American people are fond of the Irish and Ireland, they have always sympathized with them in their struggle for better conditions of government on the "Emerald Isle" and knowing the Irish people for what they are, a genial, kindly, friendly, carefree people, impulsive and affectionate, free from malice and forgiving, America is surprised at the stand of opposition Ireland has assumed in reference to the man power proposal of Lloyd George. There is still the hope in America that Redmond does not correctly, in that particular, voice the sentiments of the Irish people.

In asking Ireland to increase her representation, even by conscription, in the army of freedom, now battling the Huns in France and Belgium, Great Britain is not asking Ireland to do anything that Great Britain and every colony and every section of the empire has not done. Ireland is not asked to do anything for England. The appeal is for Ireland and all the world beside. The grievances of Ireland against Great Britain, and they are valid grievances too, can wait until after humanity is safe—until after Ireland has done her part.

Great Britain must account, and will be made to account for her century-long oppression in Ireland, but Ireland having battled for centuries for freedom, can't afford to fail in her part of the world war.

Poetry For Today

THE RECONCILIATION

The sun and April were at outs,
 And gloomy was the morning;
 She hid her face with frowns and frowns,
 And treated him with scorn.

But he, despite her stormy ways,
 And manner cold and chilling;
 Still bent on her a loving gaze,
 Still to forgive was willing.

But yet she hid her frowning face
 From his so bright and beaming;
 Behind her veil of misty lace,
 With tears her eyes were streaming.

Then hotly, ardently he wooed,
 She could no more resist him;
 And, with a sudden change of mood,
 She rent her veil and kissed him!

And when these two were reconciled,
 A charm fell o'er the morning;
 And April's tear-drops when she smiled,
 Were gems for her adorning.

—Laura M. Gregg, in Detroit Free Press.

Weather Report

Washington, April 13.—Ohio: Fair and slightly warmer Saturday; Sunday, partly cloudy.
 Indiana—Fair Saturday; Sunday, partly cloudy.
 Tennessee, Kentucky, West Virginia—Fair, somewhat warmer Saturday and Sunday.
 Western Pennsylvania—Partly cloudy and continued cold Saturday; Sunday fair and warmer.

WEATHER FORECAST

Ohio—Partly cloudy.

Daily Calendar.

From noon today to noon tomorrow: Sun sets, 7:37; moon sets, 11:05 p. m.; sun rises, 6:25.

CLIMATOLOGICAL CHART.

1:00 o'clock p. m.
 Temperature 56
 Lowest last night 34
 Moisture percentage 76
 Barometer 30.02

THE BUCKEYE

State Building and Loan Company Rankin Building, 22 West Gay St., Columbus, Ohio.

1. Is headquarters
2. For thrift stamps
3. For War Savings Certificates
4. For Liberty Bonds
5. And for thrifty citizens.
6. Of whom many are starting savings accounts.
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 You'll know why thousands use Musterole once you experience the glad relief it gives.

Get a jar at once from the nearest drug store. It is a clean, white ointment, made with the oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister. Brings ease and comfort while it is being rubbed on!

Musterole is recommended by many doctors and nurses. Millions of jars are used annually for bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). 30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50

MUSTEROLE
 WILL NOT BLISTER

"GOSH! I WISHT I WUS OVER THERE."



Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS, LAST SALE

New York, April 13.—American Beet Sugar 72 b.; American Sugar Refining 104; Baltimore & Ohio 51½; Bethlehem Steel 76¼; Chesapeake & Ohio 54¼; Erie 14¼; Kennicott Copper 30½; Louisville & Nashville 111½; Midvale Steel 46½; Norfolk & Western 103½; Ohio Cities Gas 36¼; Republic Iron and Steel 78; United States Steel 89½; Willys Overland 17¼.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Pittsburg, April 13.—Hogs—Receipts 1000; Market steady; Heavies \$18.30@18.40; heavy yorkers \$18.80@18.90; light yorkers \$18.60@18.75; pigs \$18.25@18.50.
 Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 200; market higher; Top sheep \$14.25; top lambs \$17.75.
 Calves—Receipts 100; Market steady; top \$16.00.

Chicago, April 13.—Hogs—Receipts 17000; market strong; bulk \$17.55@17.90; light \$17.35@18.00 mixed \$17.30@17.95; heavy \$16.40@17.90; rough \$16.40@16.85; pigs \$13.00@17.00.

Cattle—Receipts 2000; market steady; native beef cattle \$10.60@16.40; stockers and feeders \$8.70@12.50; cows and heifers \$7.25@13.50; calves \$10.00@15.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 2000; market steady; sheep \$13.00@17.85; lambs \$16.50@21.00.

Cleveland, O., April 13.—Cattle—Receipts 200; market steady.
 Calves—Receipts 200; market slow.
 Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 500; market steady.

Hogs—Receipts 2000; market strong; yorkers and heavies \$18.50; pigs \$18.00; roughs \$16.00; stags \$14.25.

Cincinnati, O., April 13.—Hogs—Receipts 5100; market steady.

Cattle—Receipts 600; market strong.
 Calves—Strong.
 Sheep—Strong.
 Lambs—Strong.

GRAIN MARKET

CLOSE
 Chicago, April 13.—Corn—May \$1.27; July \$1.50½.
 Oats—April \$8; May \$4.
 Pork—May \$47.85.
 Lard—May \$25.60; July \$25.92.
 Ribs—May \$24.05; July \$24.52.

WHEAT

Toledo, O., April 13.—Cash No. 1 \$2.20.

CLOVER SEED

Prime cash (old) \$18.00; October \$14.00.

ALSIKE

Prime cash \$15.25.

TIMOTHY

Prime cash (old) \$3.60; (new) \$3.62; April \$3.62; September \$4.15; October \$3.95.

THE LOCAL MARKET

Wheat \$2.07
 Corn \$1.25
 Oats 80c

WASHINGTON PRODUCE MARKET
 Eggs, paying price 31c
 Eggs, selling price 33c
 Butter 26c
 Fancy butter 30c
 Young Chickens 18c

EAST WAYNE SALE WILL BE BIG ONE LIBERAL RESPONSE

The donations to the big Red Cross Auction which will be held in East Wayne township, Wednesday, April 24th, beginning at ten o'clock in the morning are decidedly liberal, so far, and the committee is greatly pleased with the loyalty shown by all citizens in the district solicited.

Everything is being given for the auction, from a dozen eggs to a span of good mules, and a standing bid of \$300 has been offered for the span of mules, so that it will be seen they are a good span.

Other consignments included a total of 25 hogs, 10 sheep, 10 head of cattle, chickens, butter, potatoes, seed of various kind, canned goods, and scores of other articles which will interest buyers from all over the country.

The women of the community will serve lunch, making no charge for the same, but accepting anything offered in payment, whether it be less than the food costs or more. This is done in the belief that the response will be equal to the cause for which the money goes—the Red Cross.

The auction is to be held in the Cisco centralized school house, and the public is invited and urged to attend. Arrangements are being made to accommodate a large crowd, and many persons from this city will be included.

THE OLD RELIABLE STILL IN THE LEAD

We will have plenty of fancy strawberries for Saturday. On Saturday we will sell No. 1 Ryo coffee at 12½c per pound. Not over 4 pounds to one customer. Golden Sun, Old Reliable and Red Bird coffee 25c per lb. Arbuckles steel cut coffee 25c per lb. 3 pounds lima or 3 pounds soup beans for 50c. 1½ pound for 25c. 3 pounds Fancy Muir peaches for 50c. Kellogg's or Jersey Corn Flakes 10c per pkg. Post Toasties 14c per pkg. Nice sour pickles 10c and 15c per dozen. Fancy bananas 8c per lb. Apples 7c per lb. 4 pounds for 25c. New tomatoes, stock good 15c per lb. Fancy lettuce 20c per lb. 2 bunches nice radishes or green onions for 5c. 5 pound sack white corn meal 25c; 3 pound sack for 17c. Fancy prunes 15c and 18c per lb. Finest eating potatoes 30c per pk. Seed potatoes, Early Ohio, Early Rose, Irish Coblers and Snow Flake. Bring your baskets, come to the Old Reliable and you will save money. Duffee's Cough Syrup will save your health 35c per big 6-oz. bottle. Killio will clean up all germs bugs and bad odors of all kinds, 15c and 25c per box.

J. W. DUFFEE & CO.
 The Old Reliable
 Cash and Basket Grocers.

The AUTO INN

We Have Bought The VanPelt Garage And Machine Shop

on Market St., where we will conduct a first-class Automobile Repair Shop, giving special attention to Ford work. All work is guaranteed. Let us prove to you our quality of workmanship.

W. L. LEWIS
 VERNON ADKINS
 J. E. ANDREWS

PUBLIC SALE

On Tuesday, April 23, I will sell at public sale at the late residence of Mr. Jas. T. Kising, in Good Hope, beginning at 1 o'clock p. m., one Garr-Scott threshing outfit consisting of 18-horse double cylinder engine, 33-54 Garr-Scott separator and numerous other articles, detailed announcement of which will be made later.

CHAS. L. KISING,
 Adm'r. of James T. Kising, deceased.
 Automatic phone 12108. \$5 to



SPRINGTIME BRINGS REJUVENATION... TO THE HOMES THROUGHOUT THE NATION

After disgruntled winter has left us on the doorstep of a hopeful springtime our health is rejuvenated and our ambitions revived. This is quite the proper time to attend to the plumbing needed in your home and we are quite the proper plumbers to attend to it.

Bryson & Hay

Plumbers and Electricians
 South Main St. Both Phones.



THERE'S ONE GOOD WAY OF FINDING OUT

whether or not we know our business, and that is to come in and take a look around our shop. We'll show you the choicest assortment of meats that ever called a knife and fork brigade into action. For the sake of your health and happiness, act upon this suggestion.

Barchet's Meat Market.

SINGER SEWING MACHINES

For Sale By
Isaac Sollars
 Auto Phone No. 22874
 254 Leesburg Ave.
 Needles—Oils—Repairing

LIABILITY—STOCKHOLDERS OVER \$1,500,000.00

Buy A Bond Monday Morning

While our Soldiers and Sailors are throwing dice with Death, bivouacked in strange lands and roving alien seas, the irreducible least we stay-behinds can do is to foot the bill.

THE COMMERCIAL BANK
WASHINGTON C.H., OHIO

Social and Personal

Mrs. Alice Taggart, of Jeffersonville, county president, honored the Staunton W. C. T. U. Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Roberts.

The members, joined by representatives from Sugar Grove and Chillicothe unions, listened to the president's inspiring talk "Victory Comes Through Faith," said Mrs. Taggart, and at last the discussion in the Senate over this great foe in our country has aroused fresh enthusiasm. In a recent speech Senator Jones is quoted as saying: "There is yet a most powerful enemy stalking through the country—not in Washington state, thank God—more powerful than all the traitors we have harbored or are harboring in our midst—the liquor traffic."

Mrs. Thos. Worthington had charge of the devotionals and Mrs. A. C. McCoy favored the guests with two beautiful piano numbers. After tempting refreshments were served by the hostess, the members reported having finished 9 pairs of wristlets, 5 scarfs, 65 medicine covers, 3 fracture pillows, 1 sweater, 6 slings, 1 dozen handkerchiefs, 4 pairs of socks, 12 elbow rests.

The president made report that the union had sent a bundle of magazines to the State prison.

The Senior class of the local high school complimented one of their valued members, Miss Bernice Dray, daughter of Mr. C. A. Dray, who is leaving tonight to take a government position in Washington City, with a farewell party Friday night at the home of Miss Marion Christopher.

There was a large representation of both the class and the teachers and the evening was greatly enjoyed, marked by jolly informality.

A pretty gift, as a class souvenir, was presented to Miss Dray by Miss Mina French, in the absence of class president Minton.

There were games, contests and music. Miss Beatrice Porter won the prize in an advertising contest.

Miss Gladys McCord and Eleanor McClain gave humorous readings, much enjoyed.

A feature of the evening's fun was popping corn and roasting marshmallows.

Miss Martha Nelson delightfully entertained the girls of the La Tricetus club Friday evening.

After a merry round of games dainty refreshments were served.

Participating in the affair were Misses Lena Householder, Mary Baughn, Freda Barger, Helen Conner, Ruth Cissna, Lorie King, Winifred English, Messrs Dwight Winkle, Walter Hutchison, Dwight Flee, Loren Hines.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Lang Johnson of Columbus, Saturday at eleven a. m., a daughter. Mrs. Johnson is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Hyer, of this city.

Mr. C. F. Pensyl has recovered from a serious illness and returned to his position in the carpet department of the Craig Bros. store.

Mr. Lee Passmore, of Dayton, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Chas. Passmore.

Mrs. J. E. Rowan and little son Joseph Edgar Jr., of Blanchester, are the guests of the Misses Rowan, on So. Fayette street. Major Rowan, who is instructor in an army post school, is now thought to be at the English front.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Hitchcock and son Hiram, are weekend visitors in Cincinnati with Mrs. Hitchcock's mother, Mrs. John Stuckey.

Miss Vonna Robinson left Friday morning for Florence, Ala., where she will be employed in government work.

Mrs. Minnie Markley of Canton is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Sturgeon.

Paul Craig came home from Ohio Wesleyan University Friday night to spend the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Craig.

Rev. Arthur P. Cherrington spent the past two days in Cincinnati.

Messrs Mark and Frank Haines spent Saturday in Greenfield on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wilkin and sons Daniel and Phillip, will be motoring guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tolle in Hillsboro, Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Frazer and two children, Janet and Andrew, of Xenia, spent Saturday with the former's mother, Mrs. J. B. Harsha.

Among the younger set who attended the dance in Greenfield Friday night, were: Misses Mary Ellen Briggs, Marion Whelpley, Helen McKee, Helen Baker and Thacker of New Holland, Hamilton Rogers, Ralph Ware, George O'Brian, Walter Weaver, Ralph Mayer, Glenn Bush, Bernard Smith, Robert Heath and Ernest Smith.

Miss Hattie Gregg of Storm Station was a shopping visitor here today, and was the guest of Mrs. Al Melvin.

Superintendent and Mrs. William McClain and daughter, Miss Eleanor, are spending the day in Columbus.

Miss Lina Willis spent Friday in Dayton.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred D. Woollard are announcing the birth of a daughter at the Hodson Hospital Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Squires arrived from Greenfield Saturday morning to be the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Leland, over Sunday.

Mrs. Harold Anderson and little son, Harold Caldwell, returned Saturday from a visit with Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell, in Jackson.

Mrs. H. D. Rand went to Chillicothe Saturday morning to see Lt. Rand before he left Camp Sherman for Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., Saturday evening.

Misses Bernice and Florence Boggs and Ruth Junk, Misses Robert Rodgers and Heber McCoy composed a motoring party in Columbus Saturday.

Mrs. Thomas Joyce (nee Bernice Swope) who is home from Montgomery, Ala., visiting her parents Dr. and Mrs. Charles Swope in Columbus is spending a few days with relatives here, Miss Ollie Swope, of Bloomingburg, Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Parrett, Mr. Os Briggs and family.

If thinking of buying a second-hand car this spring, the classified column will find one for you. Or if you have one to sell, they will find the buyer.

BIG SHELLS FALL AMONG LOCAL MEN ON FIRING FRONT

Cook Emmitt Hays, in Letter to Brother, Tells How Hun Shells Fell Among M Company Troops and Thrill Caused by the Gas Alarms.

A little glimpse of what Company M boys recently underwent in the front line trenches in France is carried in a letter written by Cook, Emmitt Hays, to his brother, Walter Hays of this city, in which he tells of the thrills of big shells dropping within 50 feet, the work of the German snipers, and the gas alarm. The letter follows:

Somewhere in France, March 15, 1918.

Dear Brother:

I have been to the trenches and have just returned. We are all O. K. Didn't lose a man. I went up to the front line trenches on Sunday afternoon. Had just about reached the front when a big shell burst about 50 ft. from me. You should have seen me hug the ground. The stones and mud fell thick and fast against my steel helmet. I got up and started again and another one fell close to me. I reached the front line all O. K. Just as I stepped out to go back a German sniper shot at me three times. I certainly did make tracks. They shell our kitchen day and night we are either being shelled or having gas shot over us. I will tell you my first experience with gas, the second night that we were close to the front about 12 of us were in the room about 10:30 talking over our plans when the guard out side began turning the crank that sounds the Claxon. It scared us like everything but we had on our gas masks in about two seconds. We are well trained on gas. I think that Sherman was right when he said, "War is Hell."

Our artillery certainly has been shooting the Boche. It sure does make you feel shaky when the big shells drop close to you.

Don't say anything about clothes. I have everything that I need. If you want to send anything send cigars.

With love to all.

Cook, WILLIS EMMITT HAYS.
Co. M, 166th U. S. Inf.
A. E. F. via N. Y.

SUNNY SIDE SALE CLEARS LARGE SUM

The Sunny Side Bargain and Runnige Sale, held under the auspices of the Sunny Side War Work Organization, went through with a whirl Saturday morning. Long before the hour appointed crowds were in waiting outside and when the doors opened the crowd poured in so fast that the women found it difficult to wait on their eager customers.

Things sold at a very low price, but in the aggregate total a sum beyond expectations. Twelve children's divans, sent to the sale from the Washington Mfg. Co. by Manager Robert Sites, sold in less than three minutes after they were put up and, to the gratification of teacher and pupils, a number were donated to the Sunny Side Kindergarten.

People came from far distances in autos and buggies. They loaded up canned fruit, jellies, potatoes, baby chickens and other lines. In an incredibly short time the contents of the grocery department were bare and also those where fresh meat had been donated from three meat markets of the city.

A large amount of tea, coffee, syrup and other groceries donated by a Sunny Side man hardly touch the counters before they were gobbled up.

A big stock of millinery donated by two of the largest dry goods firms was eagerly sought and the women deplored the fact that they had neglected to provide mirrors. Twenty-five \$3.00 shirt waists slightly soiled, but right from leading stores, went like hot cakes, as did shoes, underwear and all kinds of wearing apparel. The low prices meant real bargains for the poor as well as providing for soldiers' supplies.

The sale together with substantial checks from business firms and business men amounted to \$91.66. With some cash donations yet to come in it will reach the \$100 mark. The Organization hopes to finance itself in the future as in the past. It feels deeply grateful to Postmaster Murray for the free use of the building, well suited to such a sale, and to all donors.

A number of donations were received late, after the crowd had thinned, and the women will hold a second sale in a few weeks at which they will be sold.

The Frank L. Stutson Co.

Courtesy First at Stutson's

It Always Pays to Buy at Stutson's

Have You Visited Our Basement Since
**The Dinnerware
and Housefurnishings
Department Has Been Added?**
If Not, Do So Tonight!

In Housefurnishings

We are sure you will be delighted with the display. Almost everything one could ask for is here. You will be surprised at the many new items that will make the duties of the kitchen more pleasant.

In Dinner Ware

China from England, France, Japan and a large display of Domestic Ware in patterns that are sure to delight every woman.

An hour can most pleasantly be spent in this department and we invite you tonight



HOME SERVICE DEPT. OPENS HEADQUARTERS

The Home Service Department of the Red Cross opens its public office in the basement of the Court House, War Work Council rooms, Monday, in charge of the Secretary, Miss Mary Robinson, who recently completed the Home Service course at the Ohio State University so as to bring the utmost efficiency to this vital branch of Red Cross work.

Although the office has not been opened Miss Robinson has been busy since her return and has already found her services needed.

The information service of this department will be open to the soldiers' families and any who has not received the allotment or government allowance, will notify the secretary who will be glad to render aid in investigating the different cases. The Home Service committee is also in communication with the Red Cross Field Directors of the different camps and forts of the United States and information from the men in the camps and forts can be obtained in a very short time. Any families that desire to report to the Home Service department may call either phone at the office or any member of the committee, composed of Mr. Howard Allen, Walter Ellis, Harry Rankin, or the secretary. Office hours: Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, 2:00 to 4:00 p. m. Office basement of court house, War Work Council.

The object of the Home Service department of the Red Cross is to help sustain the morale of the army. The test of the success of this department is not in the number of families called upon but the improved health, happiness, comfort and character of the families cared for, and particularly of the children in these families.

Women and non-combatant men have in this Home Service work as big a national work open to them behind the scenes as the men have who are playing their part so gallantly on Flanders fields and elsewhere.

The important thing to remember is that we must all get into the fight. Discontented families may mean a discontented soldier and a discontented soldier may mean a discontented

family. Red Cross workers in the camps here and abroad say that men must hear from home frequently to sustain their fighting efficiency.

The letters they receive should be cheerful and not complaining.

We are in the greatest war in all history and the astonishing thing is that many do not know it yet.

Looking after the wife of a soldier the children an invalid father or mother will help sustain morale.

AUTO MUFFLERS MUST BE CLOSED

Automobile mufflers must be kept closed while in the city, particularly in the vicinity of hospitals, schools and churches and in fact wherever open auto exhausts cause annoyance. This warning was issued by the city authorities Saturday, and owners of automobiles and motor driven vehicles generally are expected to heed the warning immediately.

The practice of many careless drivers, of causing a commotion by opening the auto exhausts has been very annoying to a host of citizens, who will welcome the new order with a great deal of pleasure.

There is a strict ordinance providing for less noise and this will be enforced.

DEMAND FOR THIRD ISSUE OF LIBERTY LOAN STILL HEAVY

The demand for the Third Issue of Liberty Loan Bonds, which pay 4½ per cent, continues heavy in Fayette county, but there is still ample room for those who can afford to invest \$50 or more, and all such citizens are expected to place their orders with their banker without further delay.

The Honor Flag of Washington continues to float from the court house, and was given because the bankers more than subscribed the full quota of the city, with the confident belief that the citizens would do their part promptly in taking the bonds, the great response to date clearly indicates that the confidence of the bankers has not been misplaced.

A great many farmers have subscribed liberally of the Third issue, and still many others have announced their intention to do so. The farmers' wives are doing their part nobly, and the largest subscription made to the third liberty loan issue comes from a woman on a farm.

Orders for the bonds are being placed at all banks, every day, and it was expected that tens of thousands of dollars would be added to the subscriptions in Fayette county.

GOT A WIFE AND COULDN'T KEEP HER

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Findlay, O., April 11. — The filing of a divorce suit brought to light interesting matrimonial experiences of John G. Curtis. He advertised for and got a wife. She deserted him within 24 hours he charges, and before two weeks from the time of the advertisement, Curtis was well on his way to old-time freedom.

ADDITIONAL CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE—Two 160 acre Fayette county farms; good improvements. Also 5½ acres, 6 room house, near city. Immediate possession of latter. Hitchcock & Dalbey. 88 t6

LOST—Five dollar bill, either at postoffice or in Girard's store. Call A. C. Henkle, both phones or leave at his office. 88 t1

FOUND — Boy's watch. Inquire Penn's, East street. 86 t2

WANTED—To buy farm of 40 to 75 acres. Address "Z" care Herald. 88 t6

FOR RENT — Seven-room house, large garden lot and barn. Inquire Mrs. W. B. Snider, Auto. 9893. 88 t1

FOR SALE — Three automobile tires 32x3½. Call Automatic 12692. 88 t6

Brownell incubates eggs, three cents each. 85 t26

THE HOME OF GOOD PICTURES

WONDERLAND

—TONIGHT—

Max Sennett Presents Another Sidesplitting Comedy, Viz:

HIDDEN PURPOSE

Monday—Edward Earl and Betty Howe will co-star in "THE BLIND ADVENTURE," taken from the Saturday Evening Post story by Earl Derr Biggers.

Tuesday and Wednesday—Geo. Cohan in "SEVEN KEYS TO BALDPATE."

Thursday and Friday—Julian Eltinge in "THE COUNTESS CHARMING."

TONIGHT THE PALACE TONIGHT

WM. FOX PRESENTS THE SUNSHINE COMEDY

"ARE MARRIED POLICEMEN SAFE?"

3000 feet of screams.

Extra—Pearl White and Antonio Moreno in "The House of Hate"

Coming—Monday

Wm. S. Hart & Dorothy Dalton

—IN—

"The Captive God"

An Entirely Different Hart Picture

Next Wed., Thurs., Fri.

Theda Bara

—IN—

"THE ROSE OF BLOOD"

Red Cross

Admittance Free

Dancing 25 cents

Red Cross

K. of P. and Pythian Sisters Big Auction and Dance

For the Benefit of the Red Cross

Time Place Date
Wednesday Night Pythian Castle April the 17th

Auction Starts 7 O'clock

Dancing Starts 9 O'clock

Refreshments

Any Saleable Articles Are Acceptable

Remember when you help the Red Cross you help the boys who are fighting
The public invited to auction Everything positively will be sold

Attention K. of P.'s and Pythian Sisters of Fayette County!

Those not getting donations in for last auction please bring them to Pythian Castle before Wednesday evening. Bring your fathers, mothers, brothers, sisters, children. Bring Everybody.

Red Cross

Red Cross

WHAT CONSTITUTE NON-TAXABLES IS FULLY EXPLAINED

State Tax Commission Explains
When Money Which Is Invested
in Non-Taxable Securities Is
to Be Listed for Taxation, and
When Not to Be Listed.

County Auditor Pine has received the following instructions from the State Tax Commission regarding the listing of money which has been invested in non-taxable securities during the fiscal year ending April 7, 1918, and which should be read carefully by all who made such investment:

HAVE COLOR IN CHEEKS

Be Better Looking—Take
Olive Tablets

If your skin is yellow—complexion pallid—tongue coated—appetite poor—you have a bad taste in your mouth—a lazy, no-good feeling—you should take Olive Tablets. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—a substitute for calomel—were prepared by Dr. Edwards after 17 years of study with his patients. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color. To have a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, no pimples, a feeling of buoyancy like childhood days you must get at the cause. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act on the liver and bowels like calomel—yet have no dangerous after effects. They start the bile and overcome constipation. That's why millions of boxes are sold annually at 10c and 25c per box. All druggists. Take one or two nightly and note the pleasing results.

Automobile Owners-Attention

I will open a repair shop at the Arcade Livery Barn, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17 and will make a specialty of repairing Radiators, and Fenders. Bodies Rebuilt and Repaired. WRECKED MACHINES Given Prompt Attention. The Kerns Auto Sheet Metal WASHINGTON C. H., OHIO. "What we say we do, we do do."

ending April 7, 1918, through saving from his salary or income, invests in any non-taxable securities on payments, which are made from his salary or income and owns such non-taxable security on April 7, 1918, the same would not be taxable for the reason that he did not hold the money for any length of time before investing same.

6th. If a person during the year ending April 7, 1918, comes into possession of a sum of money from any source other than sale of taxable securities (for example, a gift, maturing of insurance policy, or from sale of non-taxable securities) and immediately invests same in non-taxable securities and owns such non-taxable security on April 7, 1918, the same would not be taxable for the reason that such money was not held for any length of time.

7th. If a person subscribes for non-taxable bonds or other securities and pays a certain amount down, but said bonds or securities will not be delivered or be in his possession until after April 7, 1918, and therefore not owned or controlled by him on said date, then the amount paid on the subscription would be taxable as a credit. The balance thereafter to be paid on said subscription cannot be considered a debt which may deduct from his credits.

8th. If a person within the year ending April 7, 1918, purchases non-taxable stocks or bonds and owns same on April 7, 1918, then the fact or number of months the person held the taxable moneys, credits or other effects before purchasing the non-taxables; second, the amount or true value of such TAXABLE MONEYS, CREDITS OR OTHER EFFECTS used to purchase the non-taxables; third, then find the proportion which the time he held the taxables bears to the entire year, and that proportion of the true value of such taxable moneys, credits or other effects will be the value to be returned for taxation in 1918.

If your hens fail to hatch all the chickens they can take care of, send Brownell \$1.50 per dozen and your mail man will deliver what baby chickens you want at your door. \$5 126

NOTICE

Monday, April 15th is the last discount day on MONTHLY telephone bills. THE OHIO STATE TELEPHONE CO. 87 12 O. ORR, Manager.

MAKES MANY TESTS AND DISCUSSES THE SEED CORN MATTER

April 13, 1918.

Editors Herald:

In view of the fact that I have made many tests of corn for seed during the last few months, some remarks on the subject at this time I thought perhaps, would be accepted from me.

The experience of the farmer in selecting his seed corn this year clearly demonstrates the importance of "Corn Maturity." The moisture content of the corn was largely responsible for the lack of seed corn for this year's planting. The frost, except in rare cases, arrested its growth while it was yet maturing. Wherever corn was selected and "cured" before freezing weather, there is reasonably good germination as is clearly shown by the more than 2 hundred sample tests I have made in the last three months. Many of the samples tested showed as low as five percent germination and the effort was very feeble at that. This was especially true when the grains were taken from nice, large, good looking ears. Grains taken from small and "husky" ears usually gave the strongest and best germination.

The "knife test" is very deceptive: the germ may be clear and live looking, but when grains from the same ear are tested for germination, they often prove to be absolutely dead, which proves conclusively that the only safe plan is to make a test of grains from each individual ear.

The agitation in regard to seed corn for this season has developed the fact that great care should be exercised in the preparation of the land and using every effort to assist the weak germ to make its start. It is almost out of the question to talk about using fertilizer this year but it would be advisable to do so even if the best adapted kind is not available.

Assuming that the ear test has been made of all your seed corn, it would be well to separate it into two grades: Use the eighty to one hundred per cent ears, three and four grains to the hill, and the sixty to eighty per cent ears four grains and sometimes five grains to the hill; assuming again, that the same proportion can be obtained in the stand as

that in the test then the stand ought to be three or four stalks to the hill. The experiment stations tell us that four stalks to the hill produces the maximum amount of corn. In order that as nearly all the tested corn as possible be used, it would be well to separate the grains into at least two sizes, using the plate in each case to give the desired number of grains. Results is what we are after and it would not be amiss to plant the tip grains as they show as strong in germination as any part of the ear.

It is not too late to make your tests: get busy and you will be rewarded. Let me say in conclusion: next fall select your corn for 1919 seed on the basis of one hundred ears for five but will allow for some elimination at acres which will give a surplus, planting time. Place it in an open ventilated container until it is thoroughly dried out and keep it thereafter where the temperature is above freezing.

Respectfully,
FRANK M. KENNEDY.

CAST OF CHARACTERS FOR SENIOR PLAY

The preparation for the Senior Class Play "If I Only Had a Million," which is to take place Friday night April 19, is moving steadily forward under the capable direction of Miss Harbison and Mr. Pyley, members of the high school faculty.

The cast although not definitely decided upon will probably be as follows:

John W. Smith, who wants a million David Porter
Mrs. Smith, his wife
..... Miss Bernice O'Brian
Catherine, their daughter
..... Miss Helen McKee
Mrs. Dugon, their landlady
..... Miss Emma Davis
Eddie, her son Arthur Lewis
Mrs. De Lacy, of the smart set
..... Miss Wanda Mae Norris
Jean, her daughter. Miss Nell DeWitt
Edward Evanston Garland a clergyman Clark McDole
Lord Ferdinand Rainscourt, a fortune hunter Dwight Ireland
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LEGAL NOTICE.

Wilber Wilson, residence unknown, will take notice that on the 15th day of March, 1918, Bertha Wilson filed her petition in the Probate Court of Fayette county, Ohio, being cause No. praying for a divorce from said Wilber Wilson on grounds of gross neglect of duty and extreme cruelty. Said cause will be for hearing on or after the 26th day of April, 1918.
JOHN T. OATNEAL,
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Public Worship at 10:30 a. m.

"Moral Aims of the War" (as discussed at Columbus Ohio this week by Sir George Adam Smith, President of Aberdeen University, Scotland and President King of Oberlin College.)
Epworth League 6:45 p. m.
Public Worship at 7:30 p. m.
"What Shall I Do?"
Mid-Week Service, Thursday 7:30 p. m.

Women's Home Missionary Society, Wednesday, 2:30 p. m. at the church. The associate hostesses will be Mesdames Dial, Blackmer, Lloyd, Ab McCoy, DeWees, Hosler, Whelpley and Durlinger.
Group Meetings This Week:
Every Methodist member, every Methodist adherent and every Methodist preference resident of these groups are cordially invited to attend these meetings. Visitors from other groups are welcome.

South Main-Hinde group, Monday 7:30 p. m. at the home of Misses

Edith and Gertrude Gardner, Circle Avenue.

Leesburg group, Wednesday 2:30 p. m. at the Wm. Mitchem home, Leesburg Avenue, opposite Oakland.

S. North group, Friday 7:30 p. m. at the Lester Dodd home, S. North St.

WESLEY CHAPEL

Wesley Chapel Sunday School 2:00 p. m.
Mid-Week service, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

ST. ANDREWS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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D. W. BARRE, Rector

April 14th—The Second Sunday after Easter.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.
Morning Prayer and sermon by the rector at 10:30 a. m. subject, "The Meeting at Twilight."

On Tuesday evening, April 16th, at Evening Prayer at 7:30 p. m., The Bishop-Coadjutor of Southern Ohio, The Rt. Rev. Theodore Irving Reese, will preach the sermon and administer the sacrament of Confirmation to a class of eight. The members of the Confirmation class are requested to meet the rector Sunday after Morning Prayer.

A cordial invitation to all services at St. Andrew's is extended to all not attending services elsewhere.

McNAIR MEMORIAL

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. D. H. Rejy, Pastor.
Sunday School 9:30 a. m., Mr. Sherman Reeder, Supt.

Morning Worship 10:30 a. m. sermon, "Why do we need a Vital Religion in War Times?"

Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m. sermon, "Faithful Sayings."

Mid-Week Prayer meeting, Thursday 7:30 p. m., topic, "Christ Our Life."

Choir practice, Friday 7:30 p. m.
A cordial welcome to all.

ROGERS CHAPEL A. M. E.

Rev. John Coleman, D. D.

9:30 a. m. Sunday School, J. T. Oatneal Supt.

10:30 Love feast and general testimony service.

6:30 p. m. Allen Christian U. P. E. 7:30 p. m. Preaching by P. E. G. W. Maxwell and the administration of Lord's Supper. Quarterly Conference, Monday evening 7:30 p. m. All the Boards and Church Societies are requested to bring their written reports.

Everybody cordially invited at all of these services.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

G. E. Groves, Minister.

9:00 Combined service of Bible School and morning worship.
James Minshall Superintendent.

Lesson—"Jesus Requires Confession and Loyalty."

Communion service and preaching, sermon subject—"The Challenge of the Present Crisis to the Church."

6:30 Christian Endeavor, subject—"How to Enjoy Sunday."

7:30 p. m. Evening Worship sermon subject—"Some Needed Lessons the War is Teaching Us."

Everybody cordially invited at all of these services.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Wm. Boynton Gage, Pastor.
Sabbath School at 9:00 a. m., Fred D. Woodard, Supt.

Morning Worship 10:30 a. m. sermon, "Beleived By the Huns, But God Delivers."

Junior Christian Endeavor 2:00 p. m.

Senior Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.

Evening Worship at 7:30 p. m. The pastor attended the meeting called at Columbus last week to discuss "The Moral Aims of the War" and he will bring the message of this notable meeting to the people in his sermon.

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Riley, who was visiting in this county at the time, is said to have been trapped by officials to whom he had made complaint that other persons were guilty of the offense charged.

According to the Perry official an offense of a more serious nature may be charged against him.

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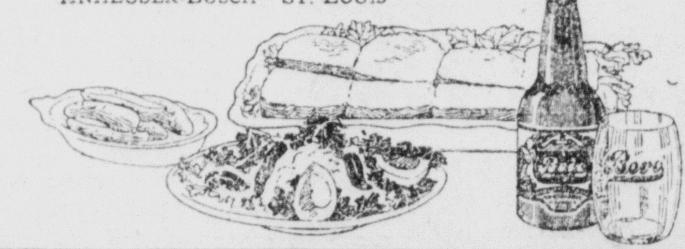
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